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A	HEUVEL VAN DEN S A F A ET AL: "Secure Content Management in Authorised Domains" 15 September 2002 (2002-09-15), INTERNATIONAL BROADCASTING CONVENTION, XX, XX, PAGE(S) 467-474, XP002273504 Authorised domain model which permits the consumer to access and distribute contents within the AD and protects at the same time the rights of the owner. the whole document	1-18

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A	US 6 226 793 B1 (KWOH DANIEL S) 1 May 2001 (2001-05-01) Apparatus which controls the level or class of a device in order to make possible to view or execute a program. column 2, lines 6-26 claim 1 -----	9,18

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